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## TRAUMA OUTCOMES COMMITTEE

**Date:** Monday, September 22, 2014

**Time:** 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM

**Location:** MEMA

400 Worcester Road Framingham, MA

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## Agenda

- 1) Welcome and Introductions
- 2) Open Meeting Law Certification
  - a. Get signed certification from members
  - b. OML Guide August

2013: <a href="http://www.mass.gov/ago/docs/government/oml/oml-guide.pdf">http://www.mass.gov/ago/docs/government/oml/oml-guide.pdf</a>

c. Certificate of receipt of OML

**information:** <a href="http://www.mass.gov/ago/docs/government/oml/certificate-of-receipt-of-oml-materials.pdf">http://www.mass.gov/ago/docs/government/oml/certificate-of-receipt-of-oml-materials.pdf</a>

- d. **Regulations 940 CMR 29.00:** <a href="http://www.mass.gov/ago/government-resources/open-meeting-law/940-cmr-2900.html">http://www.mass.gov/ago/government-resources/open-meeting-law/940-cmr-2900.html</a>
- e. General information: www.mass.gov/ago/openmeeting
- 3) Current Status of the Trauma Registry
  - a. Submission System
  - b. Documentation
  - c. Collection Standards
  - d. Current Reporting Trauma vs Non-Trauma
- 4) Proposal to Change Trauma Registry System
  - a. Change to current Submission System
  - b. Collection of Variables
  - c. Communication with Trauma and Non-Trauma Facilities
  - d. Documentation
  - e. State vs NTDB standards

- 5) General Policies Governing DPH
  - a. Privacy policies at DPH
  - b. Suppression Rules
- 6) Set up Working Groups with deliverables for next meeting
- 7) Set Date for Next Meeting and Final Thoughts